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- (X) Response to Office Action Mailed September 24, 2003 in 27 pages, including Exhibits A(1)-(3) in 12 pages and Exhibit B in 4 pages.
- (X) The present application qualifies for small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.
- (X) Limited Recognition for Salima A. Merani.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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Total Claims	17	-	38	=	0	2202 (\$9)	0 x 9 =	\$0
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- (X) Return prepaid postcard.
- (X) Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

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